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C. Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule.....	14	1.25
D. Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled).....	18	1.50

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C. Manzanilla Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule.....	10	1.00
D. Superior Old Dry Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule.....	10	1.10
E. Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule.....	12	1.10
F. Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled).....	14	1.25

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
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A. Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule.....	8	\$4.50
B. St. Estephe, Red Capsule.....	4.50	5.00
C. St. Julien, Red Capsule.....	7	7.50
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C. Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule.....	20	1.75
D. Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule.....	30	2.50

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
SCOTCH WHISKY.		
A. Thorne's Blend, White Capsule.....	8	0.75
B. Watson's Glenorchy, Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark.....	8	0.75
C. Watson's Abolton-Glenlivet, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark.....	8	0.75
D. Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule.....	10	1.00
E. Watson's Very Old Liqueur Whisky, Gold Capsule.....	12	1.10

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
IRISH WHISKY.		
A. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule.....	8	0.75
B. John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule.....	10	1.00
C. John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule.....	12	1.10
D. Genuine Bourbon Whisky, fine old, Red Capsule, with Name.....	10	1.00

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
GIN.		
A. Fine Old Tom, White Capsule.....	4.50	0.40
B. Fine Unsweetened, White Capsule.....	4.50	0.40
C. Fine A. V. H. Geneva.....	5.25	0.50

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
RUM.		
A. Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule.....	12	1.00
B. Good Leeward Island.....	\$1.50	per Gallon.

	Per Case.	Per Bottle.
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BIRTH.

On the 8th May, at 30, Wemyss-road, Blackheath, the wife of C. F. Hogg, of the China Island Mission, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

On the 8th June, at the Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M.A., the Rev. E. P. Henderson, of the China Mission, and Miss Kate Roriva Brunt, daughter of the late Robert Brunt, Esq., of Kallid, Peebles, Perth.

THE usefulness of foundling houses established in China by foreign missionaries is generally acknowledged even by anti-foreign Chinese; but the utility of the missionaries themselves is quite another question. A correspondent of the Chinese Press, Chang Ching-ling, has given orders to establish foundling houses under native auspices throughout all the districts of the two Ho provinces, so as to leave no field of operations in this direction for the missionaries. Our contemporary says it is desirable for other provinces to follow this example.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE French corvette *Villars* returned to  
Wooosung from Chinkiang on the 10th inst.

THE run on the Chartered Mercantile Bank seems to have died a natural death, without doing much harm.

A EUROPEAN has arrived at Swatow to superintend wrecking operations on the sunken steamer *Yunnan* and *Tongshan*.

MR. J. A. Leonard, U.S. Consul-General, will succeed Mr. Wagner, Consul General for France, as *deputy* of the Consular Body in Shanghai.

THE damage caused by the recent fire at Ipoh in Perak is estimated at from \$100,000. The total number of houses destroyed is said to be 123.

H.M.S. *Archer* was under orders to leave Hankow for Shanghai on the 10th inst. After a stay of a few days in the Model Settlement she will proceed to Japan.

THE "Ben" liner *Benzelers*, tea-laden from Hankow for London, after taking in coals at Wooosung, passed out of the Yangtze homeward bound on the 10th inst.

At a special meeting of the Legislative Council at noon to-day the sum of 10,000 rupees was voted in aid of the sufferers by the recent cyclone at Mauritius. Full report in another column.

By latest advices from the Yangtze, H.M.S. *Archer*, the U.S.S. *Monterey*, and the Russian cruiser *Mandjour* were at Hankow, the U.S.S. *Petrel* at Wuhu, and the *Pigmy* at Chinkiang.

THE Spanish mail steamer *Salvadora* arrived at Singapore from Manila on the morning of the 6th inst., with her engines broken down, which will necessitate her being docked at Tanjong Pagar.

AN Emergency Convocation of Victoria Chapter, No. 525, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, on Monday, the 20th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

WE note that Mr. C. V. Cresap, at one time Deputy Superintendent of the Hongkong Police, and latterly Governor of British North Borneo, has been called to the bar by the Benchers of the Middle Temple.

A CORRESPONDENT at Wusheng writes that the *Kinkaid* *Shien*, one of the Wusheng magistrates, has posted up in his prefecture a proclamation directed against the malefactors who have been doing their best to spread abroad calumnious reports about the doings of foreigners and Christians.

MR. H. HOLMES, a planter who was looking after an estate at Musar for Mr. Mackay, came to Singapore on Friday the 3rd inst., feeling ill. On Sunday evening he vomited blood and died the next morning at half-past 3 o'clock; seven hours later he was buried. The deceased leaves a wife and five children at Musar.

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"An Open Letter" to the Directors of the Bank of China, Japan and the Straits, Ltd., is unavoidably held over owing to the unusual demands on our news columns.

WE learn that the run on the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank in Bombay extended to Calcutta, and that a sum of twenty lakhs of rupees was withdrawn from these two branches.

A SHANGHAI paper says it is not improbable that H.M.S. *Lionel* will go on to Ichang and remain there while the water is high, being subsequently relieved by H.M.S. *Eva*, which is now being overhauled in Tungking Dock.

THE British bark *Panah*, after undergoing a thorough overhaul by the Dock Company, sailed for Manila yesterday under command of Capt. T. Woods, who carried as mate Mr. C. J. Matlock, the late chief officer of the impounded steamer *Zambesi*.

At a levee held at St. James's Palace on May 12th by the Duke of Connaught on behalf of the Queen, about 460 presentations were made, including Mr. Norman G. Mitchell-Jones on his appointment as Colonial Secretary of Hongkong. This is the person who attempted with a high hand to reconstruct the Opium Farm at a cost to the colony of several hundred thousand dollars.

A SWATOW correspondent writes yesterday:—"Butterfield & Swire's steamer *Hapah* takes away from here 40,000 piculs of bean-cake for the Yunnan, altogether a new trade, and this is the first time that a large shipment they have sent within a month. The steamer is the least doubt that 'Tosh' firm is very long way ahead of all its trade rivals so far as enterprise is concerned."

WE learn from Foochow under date the 10th inst. that for some days previously the tea-men had been busily engaged buying tea, although up to that time there was no steamer on the berth. It was, however, reported that the *Co's* *Nestor* would be in port on the 11th, and would be first steamer away. Between the 11th and 18th the steamers *Pingyui*, *Bentley*, and *Glenfallach* are expected.

FROM Ichang, says the *N. C. Daily News*, we hear that the claims for foreign property destroyed in the late riot have been finally sent to Peking. Mr. Consul Fraser left for his post at Chungking on the 3rd inst., and the day previously a Dr. Cameron of the C.I.M. started to walk, with one attendant, from Ichang to Chungking. The river was rising rapidly. No Dragon Festival was allowed in Ichang this year; one boat started, but it was caught and its occupants punished.

A MARINE COURT of Inquiry was opened at Singapore on the 7th inst. to inquire into the circumstances connected with the collision between the steamers *Diamond* and *Camelot*, which occurred in the New Harbour, Singapore, on the 1st inst. The Court was composed of Mr. C. W. Kynnersley (Senior Magistrate) President; Lieut. Humphries, R.N., and Captains Nicholas and another, Nautical Assistants. Messrs. Joaquin and Nanson appeared for the *Diamond*, and Mr. Napier for the *Camelot*. Captain Thomas of the *Camelot* gave evidence first, and the inquiry was proceeding when the mail left.

OUR Shanghai contemporary the *Mercury* gives the following the Hankow Tea Statistics up to June 6th, with the figures for corresponding number of days from the opening of last season, viz., 32 days:—

	1891.	1892.
HANKOW TEA.		
Shipment to Shanghai on	100,440 c-Hests.	104,710 c-Hests.
Stock on hand	11,500 "	34,300 "
Arrivals	115,940 "	139,010 "

	1891.	1892.
KIANGSU TEA.		
Shipment to Shanghai on	173,440 c-Hests.	161,750 c-Hests.
Stock on hand	5,900 "	45,000 "
Arrivals	179,340 "	206,750 "

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For London & America.....	111,000 c-Hests.	111,000 c-Hests.
For Russia.....	11,700 "	17,100 "
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It is not seldom that one hears of a man entering the Hall of Justice with the set purpose of prosecuting a brother in the hope of having him imprisoned or fined, and it is a more rare occurrence when an aged father appears before a British tribunal and enters the witness-box, gives evidence against his own son, and has him sent to prison for several months. But so it was this morning at the Police Court when Fung Po-tze, a peasant, plaintiff of Wellington Street, bowed before Mr. Whistler, Esq., the judge, a sixteen-year-old son in the dock, exclaiming: "There is the thief! My son! My son!" And then the old man wept copiously, and finally, after a good deal of fuss, aware that the prisoner had embezzled a letter containing nine dollars, which he had sent a younger son to post for him. He greatly feared the youth had been arrested and that was why he had him arrested like a common felon. Corroborative evidence was given by the husband's brother, after which the magistrate sent the culprit to prison for six months, without the option of a fine. The youth received the sentence with an air of stolid indifference and did not even bid his sorrowing father adieu.







